

Traffic, Transit and Commute Info

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# Different Information Needs for Different Markets















## Introduction

- Cars
  - Real-Time Traffic Conditions
  - Real-Time Driving Times
  - Camera Views
- Trucks
  - CVO
- Transit
  - Real-Time Bus Information
- Wildfires











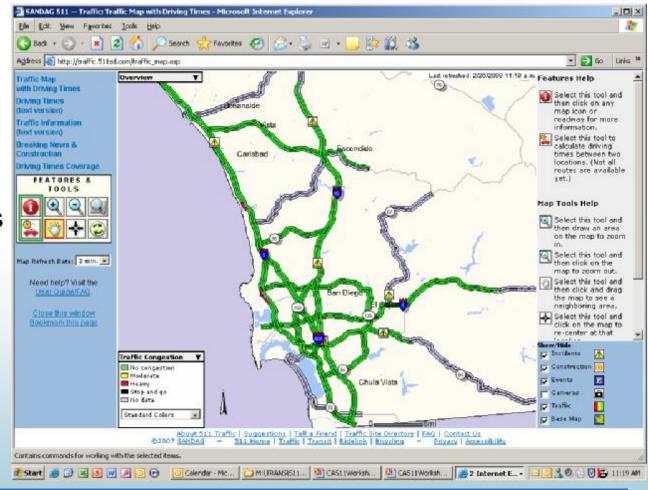






## 511sd.com - Traffic

- Traffic Page
  - Regional Traffic Map
  - Real-Time Information
    - § Driving Times
    - § Incidents
    - § Congestion
    - § Construction
  - HighwayCameraViews















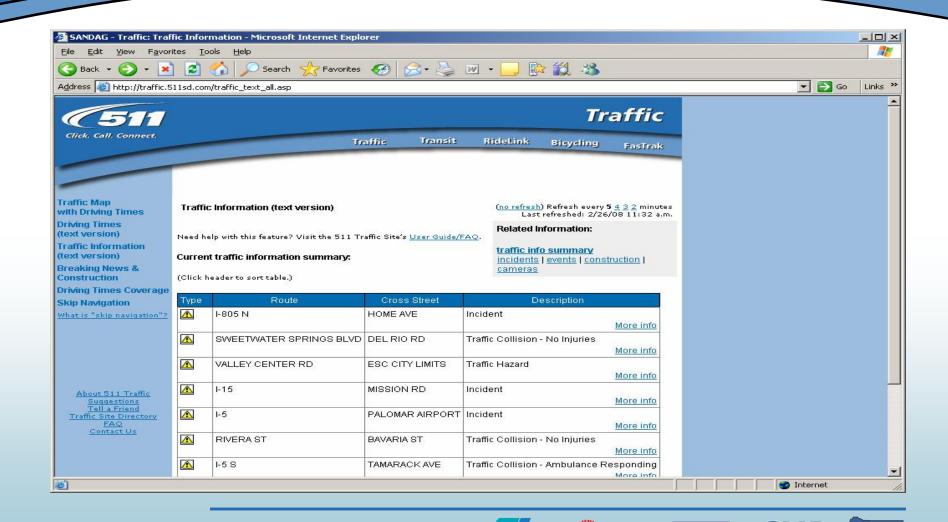


# **Driving Times**





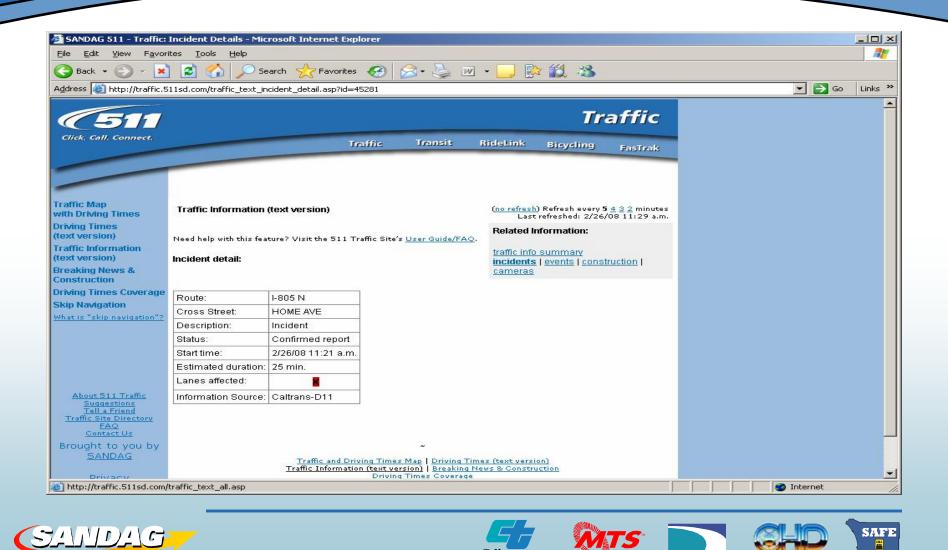
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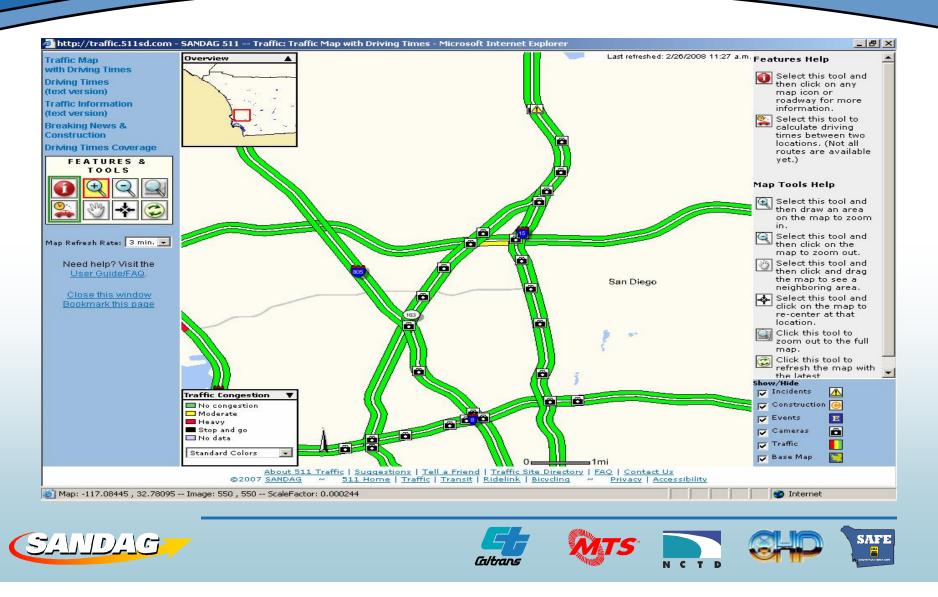


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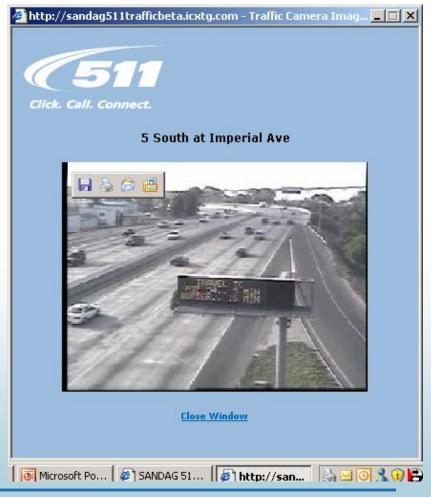
## Camera Views





## Camera Views

- 70 Locations
- Interactive Map or Table
- Still Views
- Clips
- Streaming Video
- Mobile Solution

















## Trucks -CVO

- Companion Project 1
  - Identify Future CVO
  - Connecting to Travel Information
  - Design and Deploy Systems
    - § Collect, Push and Disseminate
    - § Real-time CVO Transportation Information
  - Identify the Architect
- Companion Project 2
  - Detailed Design
  - Disseminate CVO Specific Info
  - Deploy Near-term Projects

















# CVO – Companion Project 1

- Update Federal Work Program
- User Needs Assessment
  - On-Line Survey
  - Stakeholder
- Concept of Operations
- Requirements Document
- Architecture

















# Transit - Where is my bus?

- Real-Time Bus Information
- Available on 75 Routes
- Transit Survey
  - Survey of Users
  - Reliability Testing
- Stop ID's

















# Bus Departure Testing

#### Working with SANDAG Technical Services

#### Functionality Testing

- § Recruiting SANDAG Staff
- § Use the 511 system during their commute
- § Maintain Logs
- § Meeting to review and discuss comments

#### Accuracy Testing

- § Tested 288 bus trips (MTS/NCTD routes)
- § Departs after predicted time (roughly 75%)
- § Departs 1 to 3 before predicted time (10%)









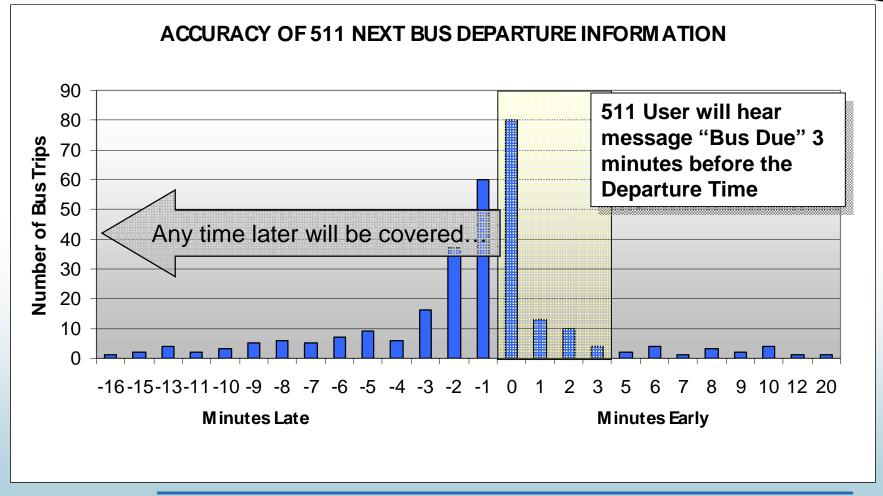








# Bus Departure Accuracy

















## 2007 Wildfires

#### Benefit During Wildfires

- Received record usage
- Maintained 24/7 availability
- Increase visibility from Public Officials and media

#### Issues During Wildfires

- Clearly and accurately depicting road conditions
- Driving Times presented traffic as free-flowing
- Users expected a complete regional picture
- Consistency of accurately classified data
- Expected 511 Operator assistance











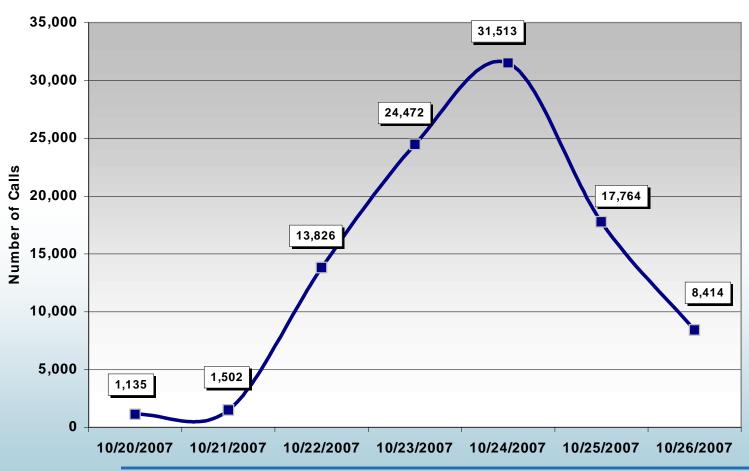




# Usage - Phone

Figure 1: 511 Phone Calls

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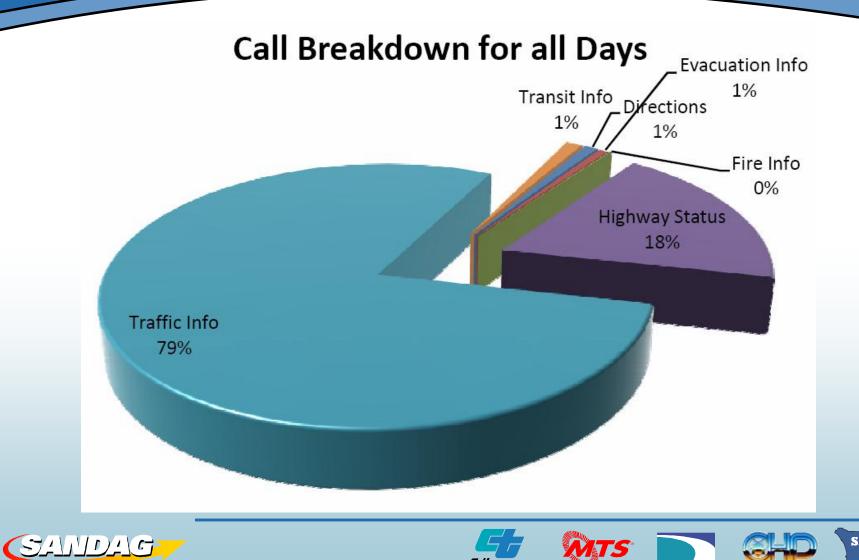








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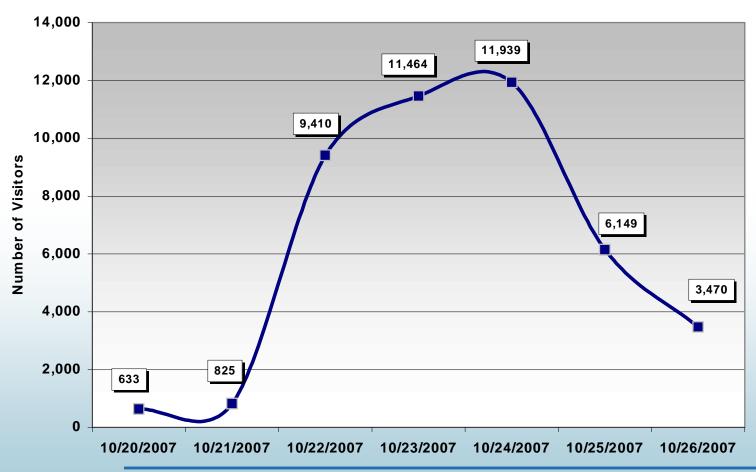




# Usage - Web

Figure 2: 511 Web Visitors

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## 511 Road Closure Feature

- Displays road closure automatically
- Redirects
  commuters
  around the road
  closure
- Identifying funding

